WANTS!

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SITUATIONS WANTED-FREE.

Are you in need of work? If so, you are at liberty to use these columns for assistance in that direction. While this notice appears the STATE JOURNAL will publish free on Saturday, Morning and Tuesday, for Topeka or Kansas people, all notices of "Situations Wanted," not exceeding five lines, or thirty-five words, in length. Provided that all advertisements of this nature are handed in previous to ten o clock Saturday morning; also on Wednesday. Thursday and Friday, all advertising of this class handed in by ten e clock Wednesday morning.

Morning
No advertisements of this nature to be started
except on Saturdays and Wednesdays. No obligation is incurred on the part of the advertisex. No worthy and needy man or woman need
heatthis to take advantage of this offer. No one
in business or having employment is expected to in business of having employment is expected to take advantage of it, but all others invited to avail themselves freely.

WANTED-HELP.

WANTED - Position to assist some nice widow lady in payment for board by refined willower of middle age. Address "B. J."

WANTED-A salesman who has had experi-ence in the shoe and gents' furnishing bus ness. Apply at once at the Famous, 429 Karsas ave.

WANTED—A man able to furnish first class references and small bond to canvass and collect for the "Industrial Lafe Insurance business," good paying position to the right party; married man preferred. Apply from 8 to 0 a, m. and 5 to 0 p. m. recom 1, 604 Kansas avenue. James I. Herron, Ass't Supt.

WANTED—Your carpet work, packing and uphotstering: work guaranteed. References, Milis and Thompson Bros. Trusdell, 1288 Harrison sk.

MEN to sell Baking Powder to the grocery trade. Steady supplyment, experience unnecessary, \$75 monthly salary and expenses or commission. If offer satisfactory address at ones with particulars concerning yourself, U. S. Chemical Works, Calcago.

WANTED-A drst class cook; good wages paid, 916 Topoka ave.

WANTED-Situation at light housework by white girl; good references. Inquire 165 actor ave., Oaktand, Ks. WANTED-Washing at 1317 Jackson st.

SALESMEN-Every county. Salary or com-mission. No experience. New tariff bill gives unlimited profits. Active men apply quickly, stating salary and territory wanted. Managacturors, box 500s, Boston.

WANTED-Salesman, salary from start; perinament places. Brown Bros. Co., Nur-sergimen, Chicago, III.

WANTED-Position in drug store to learn board; age 22. Can give excellent references Geo. A. Churchman, Parkorville, Kan.

Was ted-Situation by a young Frenchman family: takes German and can teach French. Call of address L. Steyer, 120 Kansas ave. WANTED A situation as housekeeper in a rooming house. Address "Housekeeper,"

WANTED-A places by a boy if years of age, to work fur board and go to school. Ad-dress "M. M." Journal.

Lables wanted to write at home: \$15 weekly; no canvassing. Reply with stamp, Miss Fan-nie Feiknor, South Bend, Ind.

WANTED-Position as salesman or buying wheatin or near Topeka. 17 years expe-rience. Satisfactory reference. 205 east ath st.

WANTED-Good girl for general house Buchanan. No washing, Good wages. 515

WANTED-A first class dressmaker to oc-enjor space in millinery store, between 7th and still off fram ave. Address Milliner Journal. WANTED-Good salesmen. 216 East oth st.

WANTED-MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED-Customers for milk from a fresh, young ow, 316 west 8th afreet. WANTED-Young lady to room and board private family, deferences, 711 Quincy.

WANTED—To buy on monthly payments, with small payment down, a room house word of Kansas ave. Address "M." Journal.

WANTED—You to chill at C. A. Goodwin's rental invency, can Kansas avenue, and have them find you a tenant. The only exchastive rental agency in the city. We devote our entire time to reming business houses, residences, rooms, etc., etc., Collections made promptly on a reasonable commission, 623 Kansas ave.

WANTED-Boarders at 20 cents per meal, so so per week; board and room \$4 to \$5,50 per week; 630 Jackson st.

WANTED-A good bedroom set and about 60 rards Brusses carpet; must be cheap for cash. Address "W. N. G." Journal. WANTED Purmers to repair at tin shop, 827% Kansas ave. G. G. Lee.

WANTED-Plano bining by S. F. Hogue.
I do all the plane tuning for the following firms traces left at either place-E. B. Guid, 713
Kausas avenue, or Babcock & Frost, 701 Kausas avenue, at Sabcock & Frost, 701 Kausa

WANTED Gasoline, cook and heating stoves to repair. Stoves act up or stored. Call THE HULL STOVE REPAIR CO., 116 East Eighth street.

WANTED-Some small real estate loans. WANTED To move, STORE or ship house-hold goods, freight, etc.

MERCHANIS TRANSPER & STORAGE CO.

FOR RENT-HOUSES.

FOR RENT-No. 28 Tyler street, 6-room house with classis, water and sewer con-nections in kitchen, 515. No. 228 Tyler street, 5 rooms, cispern and city water, \$10. Mrs. T. B. Sweet, 1 d Topeks ave.

LORKENE Three room house, 516 west First street, FOR HENT-5-room house, well and cistern. Inquire isso Clay at.

INOR RENT-Two next 5-room frame houses, on electric limit east of shops; very cheap, H. G. Larmier, allorney-at-law, 525 Kan. ave. FOR RENT-A good six room house. Inquire of Dr. Roby, He West oth St.

FOR RENT-ROOMS. FOR HENT-Nice furnished room, bath, steam heat, grate, gas. Apply at 401 Tyler.

FOR BENT-Pleasant first floor rooms for light housekeeping; also rooms with board cheap. 708 Van Buren st.

FOR RENT-Two unfurnished rooms at714 Monroe, suitable for light house keeping FOR RENT-Two nicely furnished rooms, first and second floor. 711 Quincy. FOR RENT-Large furnished front room with alcove; modern convicaces, 412 west

FOR RENT-Nicely furnished front room, with electric light and heat. 614 Tyler. FOR BENT-Furnished room, cheap, 200 Harrison st.

FOR RENT-Nicely furnished room, 310 Mon-roe gt., suitable for one or two. FOR RENT -Furnished front room, 1023 FOR RENT -Furnished front room, 828 Kan-

FOR RENT-Well located business room, \$20 per mouth. A. A. Rodgers, room II Columbing building. FOR RENT-Elegant upstairs apartments, partly furnished. Corner 4th and Jackson,

FOR SALE-MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE-Square Panio, hard coal heater, chamber set, etc. 200 Western avenue. FOR SALE-Cheap; a good sized horse, per-fectly sound and gentle. Will drive single

FOR SALE—Cheep; a good and delive single or double. At 508 Topeka ave.

FOR SALE—St. Berpard pupples and broad females by Sir Nero E., No. 457 by Champion Sir Bedivere No. 1441 and Topeka Belle No. 33780. Maysie No. 8,343. This is the best strain of St. Bernards in this country. All large dogs and in good condition. Wm. Everts, 105 Buchagan street, Topeka, Kan.

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FOR SALE-A horse, harness and cart. 712 Gordon St., North Topeka.

FOR SALE-Elegant bedroom and dining-room set, cheap, base burner; other house-hold furniture. Sor Van Buren. FOR SALE Gut edge dist mortgages, 7, 8, 9, 10 per cent. Simon Greenspan.

FOR SALE-Short time loans as as por cens interest. Simon Greenspan. FOR REAL estate or rental property see Benedict & Co., 601 Kansas ave.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LACE curtains cleaned by the N. Y. system; look like new. Mrs. M. E. Cafferty, 321 Jefferson st.

L OST-Cott & months old, dark brown. Finder will be rewarded at room 12, Columbia bidg. PUBLIC SALE—Household goods of all kinds, Monday, October 1st, at 10 o clock a.m. sharp. F. M. Porcu, Ross Block, Van Buren sharp. F. M. I

CARPETS cleaned by the Climax process; orders left at the Ladies' exchange, 119 W. 6th st., or at 1304 Kausas ave., North Topeka, will receive prompt attention. W. E. Suchter. To WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—Be it known that my petition is on file in the probate court asking for a permit to sell into ceating it quor at No. 111 East 1914 in street, in the Second ward of the city of Topeka. Hearing for the same is set for October 23, 1804, at 8 a. m.

Topeka, Kap. Sect. 22, 1804.

Topeka, Kan., Sept. 22, 1894. TIN SHOP-Moved to SIT & Kansas avenue. G. G. LEE. J UST found the place where you can get your furniture repaired and also packed for shipment. Cleaning and laying carpets a specialty. All kinds of general jobbing work done on short notice. Work guaranteed by a good mechanic. No. 417 West Tenth street.

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G. H. GRAHAM, M. D. G. H. GRAHAM, M. D. SPECIALIST. SEE Kanass avenue, eye, ear, nose and throat, catarria, rheumatism, lungs and liver, blood and skin diseases and diseases of women and children. Consultation and advice free. Calls attended day or night, 832 Kansas avenue, Topeka, Kansas. Those who call this mouth I will treat for So per mouth until cured; so call at once. Telephone 307.

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DR. G. A. TULL. Residence 901 Quincy Street. Office, 900 East 410 street.

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S. E. SHELDON, M.D., SURGERY AND DISEASES OF WOMEN, WITH private hospital. Office: No. 720 Kansas Ave. TDA G. BAKNES, M. D.

Office 702 Kan. Ave. Residence, 10th and Clay. Office Hours—9 a. m. to 11 a. m. and a p. m. to 5 p. m. Phone 99. DR. EVA HARDING.

709 KANSAS AVENUE

DR. J. K. MULVANE—
Special attention given to chronic diseases.
Office open all hours.
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Central ave., North Topeka. Phone 214.
Uses the Brinkerhoff system of Rectal treatment, a successful and paintess treatment for pues, astula, fishure, ulceration, etc.

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LOANS on farms and city property made at Low rates. Privilege of paying flow or more. L. Betzer, 519 Kansas avenue. Dudley's bank. MONEY LOANED on horses, planes, house, hold goods and all kinds of chatter securi-ties. L. Biscoe, 525 Kansas avenue, room 3.

MONEY to loan on bonds, mortgages of per-SIMON GREENSPAN. GOOD notes and mortgages bought and sold. PARTIES wishing a safe and paying investment for their money, call at once on S. M. Wood & Co., 534 Kansas ave.

We mean business. Do you? Then fit yourself for it by study during your spare hours in the avening with the Homosopathic Preparatory School of Medicine.

Rock Island Soute. St Louis and return, \$9.50. Tinkets on sale September 28 to October 6, Good returning to and Including October 8.

Good work done by the Peerlesa. Peerless Steam Laundry-Peerless Steam Laundry.

Cream Puffs. Baked fresh every day at the French Bakery, S15 Kausas Ava. FOR SALE-REAL ESTATE.

NOTICE—We hold tax deeds to and offer for city of Topeka, viz:

North one-fourth of tract beginning 65 feet east of center line and 148% feet north of U. P. raitroad; east 26 feet, south to U. P. raitroad land, westerly along U. P. raitroad land to point south of beginning, north to beginning, reserve 3.

Serve 3.

N. ½, N. ½, N. E. ½, 29-12-14.

Practional unnumbered lot, bounded on north by lot 172, on west by Chandler s.reet, on south North half lot 80, and all of lots 82 and Si,

North half lot 80, and al. of lots 82 and 83, Linn street.

Lot tax, Lewis street, Cole's addition.

Part of N. W. 14, 5-12-16, beginning 3.78 chains west and 224 chains north of southeast former of said quarter section, north 1.32 chains, west 3.78 chains, south 1.32 chains, east to beginning.

Part of N. W. 14, 5-12-16, beginning 2.13 chains west of a point 8.02 chains west and 13.70 chains north of southeast corner of said quarter section, north 1.11 chains, west about 2.58 chains, to Sac and Fox read, southerly along said road to point west of beginning, east to beginning.

Fractional lot 31 and lots 22, 21, 25 and 28, St. John atreed, Morse's addition.

Lots 2, 4 and 6, Hogeboon avenue, Eacild Park addition.

Lot 146, Horne st., Haynes' subdivision. Lot 108, Adams street, Highland Park sub-Hvision. Lots 20, 22 and 24, Pennsylvania avenue, High-Lots 20, 22 and 24, Pennsylvania avenue, High-land Park subdivision.

Lots 361 and 363, Pennsylvania avenue, High-land Park subdivision.

Lots 6 and 8. Maryland avenue, Highland Park subdivision.

Lots 170, 172, 174, 476, 178 and 489, Virginia ave., Highland Park subdivision.

Lots 73, 73, 77, 79, 81 and 82, Virginia avenue, Highland Park subdivision.

Lot 192, Liberty street, Knowies' second sub-division.

Lots 507 and 809, Topeka avenue, Ladies' ad-Lots 337 and 339, Forest avenue, Jenkin W. Lots 337 and 339, Forest avenue, Jenkin W. Morris' addition.
North half lot 126, Lafayette street, Mulvane & Chase's second addition.
Lot 125, Lawrence avenue, Mulvane & Chase's second addition.
Lots 233, 235, 237, 239 and 241, Watson avenue.
West End subdivision.

Lots 222 and 324, Sailne street, West End subdivision.
Lots 295, 237 and 239, Saline street, West End subdivision.

Our price is only the amount of taxes, interest and costs and a small premium, and to some cases less. Purchasers are absolutely sure to own the property of recover amount paid and costs of all improvements. Write us for figures. THE NATIONAL BOND & DEBENTURE CO.

Arkansas City, Kah. Arkansas City, Kan.

FOR SALE—Great bargain, s-room dwelling and barn; choice corner and three tots; two blocks street car line, west of avenue. A. A. Rodgers, room 11, Columbian building. For SALE—Cottage on Lawrence street, con-rections to street car. Terms, small cash payment, remainder in small amounts monthly payment, remainder in small amounts monthly

will take part payment in furniture. ear. Address "X. Y. Z." Journal office. FOR SALE—Choice suburban tracts of bacres or more, adjoining the city on the west, at prices ranging from \$125 to \$175 per acre. One-third cash.

W. M. FORBES, Sole Agent.

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OFFICIAL NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, TOPEKA, KANSAS.

There will be a special meeting of the council of the city of Topeka, October 2, ises, at 8 o clock p. m for the purpose of hearing any and all complaints that may be made as to the valuations assessed by the appraisers, as per their report now on file in the cay cierk's office of said city, or all lofs, pieces and parcels of ground liable for the cost of construction of a sewer in sewer district No. 17, as provided by ordinance No. 1727, approved July 26, ises, and also to hear any and all complaints that may be made as to the validity and fairness of the assessment or special traces to be assessed or levied on all lots, pieces and parcels of ground liable for such assessment.

Witness my hand and the official seal of the city of Topeka, Kansas, hereto attached this 24th day of September, 1831.

[SEAL]

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[Mayor, City Clerk.]

Attest: S. S. McFadden, City Clerk.

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Amusements. GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Sept. 29

And Oct. 1st MONDAY, Lady OSCAR WILDE'S GREAT PLAY, Nindermere's Fan

DIRECTION OF GUSTAVE FROHMAN. Performed 100 nights at Palmer's Theater, New York.

PRICES, \$1, 75, 50 AND 25 CENTS. Grand Opera House.

SUNDAY, . SEPT. . 30

DR. ALEX HUME AND KATE FOX

Will demonstrate Spirit Power in full light Will demonstrate Spirit Fower in him light-Spirit hands and faces are pialnty seen and recognized by their friends. A guitar is played and passed around the room by the in-visable power. Flowers are brought and passed around to the audience by hands plainly seen. A spirit hand will appear in bright light and write mossages addressed to persons in the andlence. Doors open at 7:30. Seance begins at 8:30 All are invited.

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BLOCK, PEARL,

O'BOURKE, BURNETTE,

30

cents.

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Ayer's Ague Cure is warranted to cure all cuses of malaria. Sold by druggists Price, \$1

THE SANTA PE ROUTE.

TRAINS TO SIDE ON. In Effect on and after Sept. 14, 1894

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Trains.	No	Leave Kansas City.	Arrive Topeka.	Leave Topeka.
Wichita local O k la ho ma & Texas local Den. & Tex. Lim. Casifornia Lim. *Kansas City & Topeka plug Colorado Night Express Man. & B. Acc. Ex. Sunday	115	8:15 am	10:35 am	10:40 am
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bule Lim Columbian Lim. Missouri River	6	2:35 pm 7:10 pm		5:00 pm 9:30 pm
Night Ex.	8	5:40 am	5:45 am	8:00 am
Kansas City	110		7-30 am	9-40 nm

Man. & B. Acc. Ex. Sunday... 15: 9:00 pm *Between Kansas City and Topeka only. ATCHISON AND ST. JOSEPH. No. Leave Leave Arrive St. Joe. Atchis'n Topeka. Pacific, Mexico 105 3:40 am 9:37 am 11:30 am 107 8:15 pm 9:15 pm 11:10 pm Night Exp. Leave Arrive Arrive Topeka. Atchis'n St. Joe St. Joe Express. 108 5:45 am 5:35 pm St. Joe Evening Express. 106 4:30 pm 6:35 pm 7:35 pm

Buy railroad, Pullman or steamship tickers of ROWLEY BROS., Agents Santa Fe route, southeast corner Sixth and Kansas avenue, Topeka.

Or W. C. GARVEY, Agent at Depot, Or ARNOLD & SON, Agents, North Topeka.

ROCK ISLAND BOUTE.

In effect on and after April 29, 1894.

Trains.	No.	Kansas City.	Arrivo Topeka	Leave Topeka
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Trains.	No.	Arrive Topeka.	Leave Topola	Arrive Katans City.
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O. GARVEY, City Passenger Agent.

UNION PACIFIC.

Change of Time. In Effect February 7, 1893, UNION PACIFIC-EASIBOUND.

Trains.	No.	Leaves Deaver.	Leaves Topeka	Arrives hausas City.
Eastern Vestl- buled Express, Limited	8.0	8-30 pm 9-05 nm		
*Kansas City ac- commodation	:6	Leaves Junet'a City, 4:35 am	7:10 am	9:30 810
UNION P.	ACI	FIC-WE	STROUN	E1.
Trains.	No.	Leaves Kansas City.	Leaves Topoka	
Denver & Pacific Vestibuted Express	17	10:45 am	12:55 pm	7:00 au
	1	9:00 pm	11:10 pm	5:30 pss
*Junction City Accommodation	5	4:00 pm	6:50 pm	Arrives Junei'n City. 9:20 pm

*Daily, except Sampsy. All others daily.
Train No. 8, solid vestibule to Chicago, dining car, free chair cars, etc., running over the Chicago & Alton from hamsas City, has through sleeper for St. Louis via Missouri Pac.ac.
Train No. 7, solid vestibule for Deaver, making direct connection for Pacific coast, through Pullman car for Salt Lake; through colonist car to Portland, etc., etc.
City ticket office, 835 Kansas avenue.

L. T. & S. W. EAST *Leave Topeka... { via Meriden and } 7:80 a.m

MISSOURI PACIFIC. No L'v's lopeka Train. Topeka and Fort Scott ac-285 10:00 B. TB. A'v's Topoka

0..... 286 5:30 p. m. VINEWOOD & HIGHLAND PARK R. R. Trains will leave Quincy Street station week days for Vinewood as follows: 6:45, 11:51, 3:07, 5:41. Trains will leave Vinewood for Quincy street at 7:57, 1:92, 4:19, 5:50.

Topeka and Fort Scott ac-

AUTON, 1:02, 4:19, 6:50.

SUNDAY TRAINS,

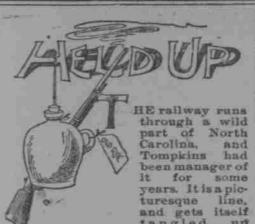
Leave Quinoy street 8:02, 9:18, 10:36, 11:51,

1:50, 3:07, 4:24, 5:41, 7:30, 8:40, 9:50,

Leave Vinewood 8:42, 9:50, 11:16, 12:30, 2:30, 47, 5:04, 6:24. Extra Sunday trains will be run according company orders.



American Steam Laundry, 112 West 7th street, tele. 84L



through a wild part of North Carolina, and Tompkins had been manager of Bmong most bewilder-

ing way. . The train puffs and staggers up awful grades; winds and twists and doubles on itself in the most confusing fashion; goes round and round cup like depressions and seems in general not to know where it is going. But, like the person in the song, it "gets there just the same." The road passes through some pretty rough settlements, but there is civilization and wealth at each end of the myline, and this enables the railway to pay a good salary to the manager, although I never heard that it so far men to do with your whisky?" forgot itself as to pay any dividends to the shareholders.

Well, one day there was a lot of nabobs going East, and, as the manager was also traveling in that direction, he ordered his private car hitched to the noon express, and

away they went. A private car, the manager tells me, differs from an ordinary coach, and is superior in some respects, even and whisky and all, and never stops. to the Pullman. A good deal, of course, depends on the manager. As a rule the interior decorations of a manager's car are very fine and expensive, including artistic effects in she has. I don't allow no man to Burgundy, dry champagne, fine deli- monkey with my likker. He kin sass cate brands of old Kentucky, cigars my wife and chuck coal-"

from Havana, and things of that sort. was a few days before Christmas, and people were going East to see their folks, many of the travelers having considerable amounts of money on them. Besides this, there was \$400,000 in the safe of the express car going through to New York. The lief. fact made the messenger a trifle auxious, and it was one of the causes that were bringing him East. How- of the year. Besides he's got my 82 ever, the train would be out of the and the jug." mountains while it was still day-

All the nabobs who amounted to train?" anything were in his private car, and they were enjoying themselves as people should during that festive season, but not, if I understand Tompkins aright, entirely by admiring the scenery, although doubtless that added to their pleasure. Just as they were in the roughest

part of the mountains there was a wild shrick of the whistle, a sudden train, with an abruptness that was stock. Pour it in here, and be glad just short of an accident, stopped. "What's up?" cried everybody. "I don't know," said the manager, getting a little pale around the gills.

"You all stay here, and I'll go out and see."

the passengers knew of the money in the express car. The manager stepped down from moment he looked toward the front of the train, he saw that his worst reverence. fears were realized. Just ahead of the locomotive, on the rails, was a huge pile of logs and railway ties. every known brand in the states Standing around the engine and the



"I DON'T ALLOW ANY MAN TO MONKEY

WITH MY LIKKER." villainous-looking mountaineers the manager had ever seen; determined and desperate men, who could put a bullet in a man half a mile away. All were armed with their long rifles, and two had their weapons at their shoulders, while the trembling express messenger and the engineer stood with their hands above their heads.

"What's wrong?" cried a nabob, who had followed the manager out. "Everything's wrong. We're held up; that's what's wrong. Go back and tell the rest to conceal their valuables. I know what they are after. There's nearly half a million of gold on board. I'll go forward and parley with them as long as possible, so as to give you time. I imagine that if they break open the safe they'll be in a big hurry to get away and will

leave the passengers alone. Still, I don't know; so warn everybody." There is no question but the manager was a brave man. He went briskly forward, as if nothing particular was wrong, and it was all a little mistake that could be explained away in a few words. As he walked the length of the train he made up his mind to sacrifice the \$400,000 if by so doing he could prevent bloodshed

and further robbery. "What's the row here?" he cried

cheerfully, as he approached the gloomy group of mountaineers. "Who, are you, anyhow?" asked the

man who was covering the express messenger. "Who am I? I'm the manager of this railroad. What do you fellows mean by stopping one of my trains?"

The man lowered his rifle and looked at the manager. "What's the matter with you?"

added Tompkins. "The matter's just this, Mr. Manayears. It is a pic- ger. You run the gol-daradest railturesque line, road in all creation. That's what's the and gets itself matter, and we ain't a-goin' to stand tangled up it no longer. I don't mind your trainthe men throwing coal at my dog; I don't mountains in the mind 'em sassing my wife an' making fun o' my clothes; but when it comes to monkeying with my whisky, I'm dod-gasted if I'm a-goin' to stand it."

The other mountaineers nodded their approval of these sentiments. "Monkeying with your whisky? What do you mean?" cried the bewildered manager.

throw coal at my dog, they can and "Yes, yes; but I don't understand about the whisky. What have my

"I mean just what I say. They can

"Why, don't you know, and you manager of the road? Well, moonshine whisky's all right enough ordinary days; but we allus has good old Kentucky fer Christmas. Day before yesterday I gave your man in this here kyar a jug and \$2 to bring me some prime Kentucky from town fur Christmas. Yesterday bang through goes your train, jug Now we ain't a-goin' to stand that from no road that ever tooted a whistle to scare the steers. I said I'd bet my boots next train 'ud stop, and

"See here," said the manager to the The time of this memorable trip expressman. "Did you take his \$2?" "Twan't me," said the measenger. "Must have been Bill Simmons, on No. 9, and she must have gone through without stopping yesterday."

> asked the manager, with a sigh of re-"Fair's fair, boss. 'Tisn't Christian like to drink moonshine at this time

"Then all you want is your whisky?"

"That's all right," cried the manalight; so the manager felt no anxiety. ger. "Have we got a jug on the "Here's one," said the mountaineer, taking a jug from behind a log. They

had been refreshing themselves while

waiting for the train. The manager grasped it by the handle, turned it upside down, and let the remains of the "moonshine" gurgle out, to the horror of the mountaineers. Then he started through the train, shouting, "Here, scrunt of the air-brakes, and the you men with flasks, I want half your

you get off so cheaply. * Every man who had a bottle produced it, and before Tompkins had gone through two cars the jug was brimming full. He went back to the leader, who now allowed the engineer It need hardly be said that none of and expressman to hold down their hands.

"Taste that," said Tompkins. The mountaineer smacked his lips his private coach at the rear, and the after sampling the contents. "That's a good blend," he said, with solemn "Blend? You bet it's a blend. I've blended it myself; there's a sample of

> there. Now to-morrow I give you my word that No. 9 stops and unships your jug, or there'll be a row. Is that all right?" "It's all right, boss," said the leader who had given the word. Thereupon his lauk company had flung the

old ties and tree-trunks clear of the track. "You're a white man, if you are the manager of this road. And your men can make fun of my clothes an' sass my wife all they've a-mind to, an' heave the company's coal at my dog, as long as they know you ain't a-goin' to monkey with my whisky .-McClure's Magazine.

Their Wooden Shoes.

Like the Turks, who drop their aandals before the mosque door that its sacred floor may not be defiled, so the Hollanders slip off their wooden pattens before those altars of cleanliness -their tiny dwellings. A common sight in the villages is to see a row of wooden shoes of various sizes, from the big ones of the father down to the small ones of the baby placed on the outside of the doors, showing that the family is assembled within. No need to ask in these peasant villages if madam is "at home to her friends." The presence or absence of her wooden shoes at the threshold tells always whether she is in or out.

A Broad Bint.

Sir Andrew Agnew of Lucknow, a well-known Scotch baronet, was long pestered by an impudent sort of person, who insisted on being constantly "under foot." Finally, however, he dropped off, and Sir Andrew was asked how he got rid of him. "Oh," said he, "I gave him a broad hint," "A broad hint?" repeated the Inquirer: "I thought he was one of those who could never be induced to take one." "By my saul," said Sir Andrew, "he was obleeged to tale" it! For as the chiel wadna gang oot at the door, I just threw him oot of the window!"

The Smallest Bird.

The smallest bird now eaten in England is the wheatear, an exquisite little white-fleshed bird like a minlature partridge in flavor. The smallest quadruped that was once a dainty, but is only remembered in Roman tradition, is the dormouse. There are those who have tried the bat and found it tustes like the house mous. only mousier,